

Response to Restriction Requirement
Dated November 2, 2004

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REMARKS

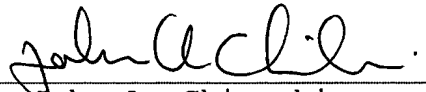
This is in response to the Office Action dated November 2, 2004, imposing a restriction requirement.

In response thereto, applicant hereby elects Group I, Claims 1-18 drawn to an apparatus as defined by the Examiner. Applicant has canceled the remaining Claims 19-36 without prejudice.

An early and favorable reply is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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